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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (37 CFR. § 1.53(b))

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| Washin                         | gton, DC 20231  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sir:<br>Sir:<br>W<br>H<br>Før: | This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR. § 1.53(b) in the name of inventors:  Stepan Sokolov   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| For:                           | JAVA BYTECODE INSTRUCTION FOR RETRIEVING STRING REPRESENTATIONS   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OF JA                          | VA OBJECTS  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Assigne                        | ed to: Sun Microsystems, Inc.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Applica                        | ation Elements:   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ş.a.                           | <ul> <li>14 Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract</li> <li>05 Sheets of formal Drawings</li> <li>02 Pages Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney</li> </ul> |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accom                          | panying Application Parts:  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                                | Do not publish this application. Nonpublication Request is attached.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| •                              | Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (recording fee of \$40.00 enclosed)   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                                | 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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## Fee Calculation (37 CFR § 1.16)

Applicant is entitled to Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

|   | (Col. 1)<br>Total Claims |       | (Col. 2)<br>Claims | (Col. 3)<br>Present Extra | Rate | Additional Fee |
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General Authorization for Petition for Extension of Time (37 CFR §1.136)

Applicants hereby make and generally authorize any Petitions for Extensions of Time as may be needed for any subsequent filings. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fees under 37 CFR 1.17 as may be needed to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. SUN1P843).

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